# EVENING

NEWS

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INDIANAPOLIS, MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1870.

PRICE TWO CENTS.

### WANTED:

WANTED—It generally known that the New York Candy Store is the best place to buy pristings candies. We have 16,000 pounds of fine ixed candies, which we offer at the low price of 40 ints per pound. New York Candy, Store, No. 5 artindale's Block, Pennsylvania sirest, five doors rib of the post office.

TED-Every child to go to the New York and see Santa Claus in fall dress, we displaying himself and his beautiful pre-the show window of the New York Landy, 5 Martindale's Block, Pennsylvania st., a north of the post office.

INTED—To let the isdies and gentlemen of Indianapolis and vicinity know that they whiskers, mustaches, wigs, fronts, toupee, ma, braids, curis, puffs, frizzes and histricur-all kinds, in the latest and most desirable at Mrn. S. L. Stevens's, No. 24 % West Wash-street. We can do all we advertise—try us.

NTED-A good girl 12 to 14 years of age, at 221 East Michigan street. 19 81°

VANTED-To rent an unfurn'shed parlor; cen-tleman and lady preferred. No. 18 West cryland street. Mrs. M. C. Day's. 19-21 VANTED-To rent an unfurn dahed room; also a few day boarders, at 18 \ Vest Michigan at

WANTED-A few boarders by the week; also, day boarders in private fe mily; will be as se of the family. Apply at 30 North East street. WANTED-A good second-hand buggy, in trade for a lot. Apply at 51 W est Washington treet. J. H. McKeruan.

WANTED-A partner with \$660° or \$700, to engage in a profitable business. Address lock 17-3t°

WANTED-Boarders, at No. 53 South Pennsylvania street. One room vs. ant, suitable for an and wife. WANTED-A few day boarde rs can be accom-modated at No. 88 South | ?ennsylvania st.

ANTED To rent, without board, two front rooms, suitable for families Apply at once 16-3t

MANTED-People to know that driven wells can be put down in winter same as summer.

Mec, 55 South Illinois street.

WANTED-It known that a few day boarders can be accommodated with first-class board 16-31° No. 70 Virginia avenue. WANTED-A girl; reference required; wages good. Call at No. 39 North Delaware street.

VANTED-A room-mate, or else to sell the room out; room No. 9, corner East and schington streets. Address W. H. H., this office.

WANTED—To let, with board, two large rooms, furnished or unfurnished, in a private lamble; terms moderate. 197, northeast corace of Vernout and Alabama streets. WANTED-A purchaser for the restaurant and confectionery at 143 West Washington st., 8-tf

WANTED—Everybody to go to to 143 W. Wash-lington street and buy the Restaurant Prize Box at 50 cents. The capital prize to be secured by one of these boxes is valued at \$500.

WANTED-Everybody to try our Forty-cent Oysters. Ripley & Gates, 47 and 49 North Illinois street. 7-2w WANTED-Salesman, at 89 South fillinois street indianapolis. d3 tf

WANTED-AGENTS-Local and District Agents

FOR SALE. OR SALE—Best article of gas coke at 16 cents per bushel. J. H. Ross. 17-61

with gas, 4 halls, 3 stairways, 2 cisterus, and in every convenience for keeping boarders or prireadence; 47% feet front by 150 feet deeptied on North Illinois street. Terms, one-third, and balance easy payments. For further intion apply at this office.

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The man who can not afford tan cents per ak for a daily paper.

OUND—That the Evening News is the best advertising medium in Indicapplis. Business will make a note of this.

BOARDING.

BOARDING—One large, and one hall room, with southern exposure, to let unfurnished, with oard, in central location; family small. 21 Wes ow York street.

The Women of Men Novelists and Men

The Philadelphia Commercial List, of Saturday, says the suspension of fourteen firms, manufacturers commission houses and jobbers, in the shoe trade, during the past two weeks, has caused not only excitement but alarm for the credit and future course of business.

## NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE.

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THE INDIANA MUSIC STORE, 4 and 5 Bates House Block.

MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS, Sheet Music, Violins, Guitars, etc., etc.

The largest stock of Musical Merchandise in the apri9-12mo. A. G. WILLARD & CO.

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Parker's Block to Rooms 3 and 4 McDonald &
sache's new building, North Pennsylvania street, ndianapolis.
Good reliable Agents wanted in all parts of this state. Apply to C. M. RANDATA, State Agent. J. D. ALEXANDERS, Special Agents, nov80-6m

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Engraved or Printed in the neatest style,

BRADEN & BURFORD'S, 24 West Washington Street.

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Coats, Vests and Pants!

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Most Fashionable Goods in the City,

ARE TO BE FOUND AT THE

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CLOTHING HOUSE,

37 E. Washington St.

Lal. MOSSLER & BRO.

co Goods Made to Order at Most Reaconable Rates. decis-if

Late at Church.

The Springfield Republican says: One of the papers tells a story of a man coming into church after the serinon had begun; wheren on the preacher paused and said to him: "Glad to see you, sir; come in, come in; always glad to see those here late, who can't come early." To which salutation the stranger, taking his seat, as coolly replied: "Thank you; would you favor me with the text?" "Certainly," was the answer, which was done, and the discourse moved on as before.

This recalls a Missouri incident. One cold night Rev. Eara S. Ely, of Presbyterian fame, was preaching in a prairie farm-house; when about a third through the sermon, two late-comers rode up to the door and entered. The doctor stopped and said that, as these friends were very cold with their ride, the meeting would sing a hym a while they were warming themselves; which being done, he observed that as they had taken so much trouble to come he would begin his discourse again for their benefit; and taking his text accordingly, he commenced once more at the beginning and repeated his sermon, rather more to their edification than to that of the rest of the and dience, perhaps.

## European News

Return of the Prussians in front of Havre.

Russia Sustains Prussia in Occupying Luxembourg.

Luxembourg Denies the Alleged Violation of Neutrality.

A Serious Political Riot in Londonderry.

Order Issued for the Release of Feuian Prisoners.

FOREIGN.

ENGLAND.

London, December 19.—The British government has just issued an order for the release of the Fenian prisoners. The release is conditional, however, the understanding being that they are to reside abroad for a certain period. The lenient measures pursued by the British government in this instance are alculated to have a good effect on the present agitated state of affairs in Ireland.

A dispatch from Blois states that the town of Freteval, in the Department of the Loire, nine miles northeast of Verdun, was attacked by the Prussians on Wednesday, and as the garrison was comparatively small, surrendered after a slight resistance. On the Friday following the French troops appeared in force before the town and after a successful engagement, drove the Prussians from their position finally making them evacuate the city.

Telegrams from Bordeaux state that the German troops recently occupying Ameins and Beauvis, have evacuated those cities and are now understood to be concentrating from various points and marching against the French, under General Fardherbes, at present in that vicinity. It is thought a meeting of the hostile armies will occur between Amiens and Hal, where a battle is considered imminent.

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Recent German dispatches state that the government of Luxembourg has transmitted to the Prussian government an official denial and repudiation of the charges preserved against it. The denial states, that at no time was the neutrality of Luxembourg ever violated by consent or permission of the government of that State. This denial thus officially received, will it is thought prove entirely satisfactory to Prussia, who will then probably make a formal retraction of her demands for indemnity for alleged violation.

A letter has just been published, from Mr. Gladstone, in which he expresses an opinion on the present state of affairs in Ireland, and intimates, also, that he is in favor of the release of the prisoners lately held on charges of being implicated in the Fenian disturbances in that country and England, approving the policy pursued by the English government in the matter, and predicts a beneficial effect. He says that Ireland is now in a remarkably presserous condition. She is free from all

in that country and England, approving the policy pursued by the English government in the matter, and predicts a beneficial effect. He says that Ireland is now in a remarkably prosperous condition. She is free from all that turbulence and disorder which formerly threatened the life and property of peaceable and law-abiding residents. The intelligence and religion of the country, which have been evinced in supporting the cause of order and loyalty, have had a powerful influence in tending to weaken disaffection. Let us trust that the lenient policy adopted by the government toward the Fenian prisoners will increase that good influence, and tend still further to strengthen the healing process.

Information has just been received here of a political riot which has taken place in Londonderry, and which has caused great excitement throughout the country. The apprentices of the city turned out in force and rece neured an effigy of Lundy, which had previously been seized by the police. All the efforts of the constabulary to regain possession of the effigy have preved unavalling. Their combined search has only resulted in arousing the fury of the populace, who evinced the greatest sympathy for the apprentices. A force of cavalry and infantry has been ordered to proceed to the scene to add in quelling the disturbance.

Dispatches recently received from Versailles state that preparations are being carried out with a view to the immediate commencement of the bombardment of Paris. From the general character of the preparations it is highly probable that the bombardment will be opened by the Germans with siege guns of the strongest lescription and calibre. These are now in the north and south sides of the city simultaneously, as these points are very strongly fortified. The bombardment will be opened by the Germans with siege guns of the strongest lescription and calibre. These are now in the root of the points mentioned.

A dispatch from Langes, thirteen miles to day of French, being outnumbered, were compelled. The propo

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the retreat of a love of russians, leaves strong, stated to have been advancing on Havre.

The French troops, including the raw levies lately raised in that city, were dispatched to the front to meet the advancing Prussians, but before an engagement could be consummated the enemy retired. They are said to be returning to Amiens via Dieppe.

Great excitement prevails among the citizens and soldiery at Havre at this sudden and unexpected movement of the Prussians.

Versailles, December 19.—Numbers of deserters from Paris still continue to arrive here, but are firmly repulsed and sent back by the German troops. They state many of the reports now circulating with reference to the state of affairs in the city have been grossly exaggerated and misrepresented.

RUSSIA.

St. Petersburg, Rocember 18.—The Russian government has declared that if any violation of neutrality on the part of Luxembourg can be proved, Prussia is justified in disregarding the treaty with that power and the immediate occupation of the territory.

## NEW YORK CITY.

Revenue District Consolidation -Til-

ton Retires-Firo.

Revenue District Consolidation—Tilton Retires—Fire.

New York, Dec. 19.—The head Internal Revenue district, Kings county being second largest personal income district in the United States, is to be consolidated with the Second District, ex-Assessor Allen to be Collector, Gen. Jordan to be Assessor.

Theodore Tilton's connection with the Independent terminates on the first of January, it is rumored that he also leaves the Brooklyn Union about the same time.

A fire occurred in the surgeon's depot of the Yooklyn Navy Yard this r. m. The house was da. uaged to the extent of \$2,000.

A. half past twelve o'clock this morning a fire wa's discovered in the Phomix Plaster Mills of Weatherspain & Bros., at Nos. 426, 428 and 4.0 West Fifteenth street, near Greenwich street. The flames spread rapidly and gained such a 'headway that when the firemen arrived on the gr. unds, they found it difficult to get control as the veare an extensive range of stables connected with the mills, all of which caught fire as wel. 'as the two tenement houses, No. 446 and 430 in 'yont of the mills.

A volume of flames and s. Noke soon arose. The inmates of the neighborn's tenements were for a time in great danger, and as the fire escape on No. 430, owned by the n'ill company had no connecting ladders, the 'hareman of the hook and ladder No. 5 ordered up two of his longest ladders, and the men soon vescued the women and children.

The inmates of No. 246, owned by Mr. Deanwood, were successfully piloted through the fire and escaped to the ground. The loss on the Mills tenements will probably reach \$50,000. Fifty families are rendered houseless by the conflagration. Their losses are not ascertained; they saved nothing but the clothing they had on.

## PENNSYLVANIA.

Attempted Murder-Suicide-Death-

PITTSRURGH, December 18.—On Saturday evening an attempt was made to murder a prominent coal dealer of this city, named Edwin T. Tunis. He was found in one of his coal sheds about eight o'clock, insensible, weltering in his blood, robbed of his watch and all the money he had in his possession, supall the money he had in his blood, robbed of his watch and he had in his possession, supall the money he had in his possession, supall the money he had in his possession, supall the money he had in his blood, robbed of his watch and he had in his possession, supall the money he had in h all the money he had in his possession, sup-posed to have been \$100. He he has been in-sensible ever since. Marks about his lead in-dicate that he was first knocked down with dicate that he was first knocked down with brass knucks and atterwards received several large gashes in the face and head with a coal shovel. No arrests have been made yet, but the physicians think the injured man will be restored to consciousness by to-morrow, when some revelations can be made. This attempt at murder and robbery is regarded as one of the boldest that has ever been attempted in central Pennsylvanis.

Philadelphia, December 19.—It has been ascertained that James Elliott, the prize fighter who was recently sentenced to sixteen years imprisonment, came here with the avowed intention of putting Alderman William McMuller out of the way.

R. H. Stenchfield, aged about forty-five years, a clergyman and collector for the Macon, Georgia, Methodist Episcopal Female College, fell dead at the corner of Sixth and Spruce streets, about six o'clock yesterday afternoon. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause.

## WISCONSIN.

woman living in the suburbs had occasion to come up town yesterday, and left her humble abode in charge of two children, aged six and eight years, and a third, an infant of eight months, lying asleep in the cradle. During her absence, and while the elder children were playing near by, a hog, owned by the family, entered the open door of the shanty, and seining the infant literally tore it to peices.

Officer Peter Smith hearing of the shocking occurrence proceeded to the spot and attempted to shoot the hog, but was prevented by the mother, who begged of him to desist as her loss was already enough.

## FROM WASHINGTON.

nt for all expenses incurred by the United States in consequence of the Alabama and other cruisers. Third, that Englandshall make public recognition of the true principles of neutrality. On the basis of this settlement it is thought the United States will not demand constructive damages in any event.

### FROM NEW YORK.

Foreign Shoes Cheaper than Amer

[From the Cincinnati Gazette of this morning.]

Arrangements have been made here to take advantage of the cheap labor in Europe in the manufacture of American shoes. Samples of brogans, such as are made in Massachasetts for the Southern and Western trade, were sent to Vienna several weeks ago for estimates. Brogans like them, and made in Vienna of Austrian leather, have arrived here, and contracts have been made, with duties paid, from 20 to 25 cents less per pair than Massachusetts figures. Two prominent firms in the shoe trade are arranging for supplies from Vienna, and they predict that the movement will cause considerable change in the business, and create much excitement in Massachusetts.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Rear Admiral Samuel L. Bruce, United States Navy, died on Saturday morning, near Philadelphia. He was seventy-six years of

A movement was inaugurated yesterday among the Society of Friends of Cincinnati, for the relief of non-combatants in France and Germany.

A large flour mill at Chatsworth, Livingston county, Illinois, belonging to Mr. Weinland, was burned on Saturday. Loss, \$20,000; insured for \$10,000.

Parsons, Squires, Cockerel and Chapman, the Pacific Railroad robbers, were convicted at Washoe City, yesterday. Bell, who turned States' evidence, was acquitted.

A fearful tragedy was enacted at El Paso, Texas, on the 16th, in which a lawyer named Williams shot Judge Clark through the heart, and was himself shot in like manner by a Captain of Police. O'Baldwin, the prize fighter declines to accept the conditions of pardon from the Massachusetts House of Correction, which require him to leave the State within twenty-four

nours, never to return. Hon. James B. Blake, Mayor of Worcester, Massachusetts, died yesterday morning, aged forty-four years. His death was the result of injuries received at the explosion at the gas works on Friday night.

Owen McKenna, the flagman, through whose carelessna the train plunged through the open drawbridge at Flushing, last week, has been bailed in the sum of \$500, to await the action of the grand jury.

A large demonstration occurred in Coving-ton, Kentucky, yesterday to protest against the invasion of the Papal dominion by King Victor Emmanuel. Fully five thousand per-sons were in the procession, with eight bands

The entire stock of the American Steamship Company, of Philadelphia, have been sub-scribed for, and double the amount required was offered. Offers have also been made for bonds to be issued, secured by the Pennsyl-yania Railroad.

The dwelling houses of Daniel Loyd and Samuel Ottawa, South Pittsburgh, were burned Saturday night. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$10,600. James Cherleton, Captain of Watten Hose Company, was killed by a falling chimney, and William Kelly, of the same company, is supposed to be fatally injured. Franklin Kettle and his wife, two of the oldest and most respectable residents of Stephensontown, New York, were murdered on Thursday night by their son, who is blind. The father and son had some dispute about a will, which culminated in the murder. The murderer has been arrested and is now in tall.

Francis H. H. Primrose, who pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling \$23,000 from the Grand Trunk Railroad Company, was sentenced to three years in the State Prison. Primrose implicated D. E. Martin, former Division Superintendent of the same road. He charges that Martin received \$11,000 of the money. Martin fled to Canada.

The Winnipeg Manitovean of the 3d instant says that on the 30th ultimo as James Tanner, James Ross, and others were returning from an electioneering discussion with Dr. Lynch, they were assaulted with clubs and stones by a party of men, and Tanner was killed by being thrown from his horse, The others escaped without serious injury. It is claimed that the assault was made by the friends of Lynch and Schultz.

At the great Indian Council at Ocmulgee matters are progressing harmoniously and there is every prospect that a new government will be organized of the Confederate Nations and tribes in the Indian Territory. On the 11th instant the Council unanimously adopted the committee's report, providing for the drafting of a constitution and the organization of a government, republican in form, and not inconsistent with existing treaties with the United States. The 'sport was adopted by a vote of 18 to 3, those voting in the negative being a portion of the Cherokee delegation.

Food is very scarce in the German camps, and some of the troops have been without meat for three days.

Advices from Paris represent that the city can hold out until spring without serious in-convenience from want of food.

The French government urges Austria to demand the restoration of three thousand Austrian railway cars seized and held by the

The Prussian government charges that the Frence Consul at Luxemburg keeps open his office for the re-inlistment of the fugitives from the French army. Her Majesty's steamer Psyche, of the British selipse expedition, foundered in the Mediteranean. All on board were safely landed, and he scientific instruments saved.

### INDIANA ITEMS.

The new Methodist church at Thorntown nas an audience room 78 by 48 feet, and a spire one hundred and eighty feet high.

Work on the new building of Asbury University has been suspended till next spring. The walls are completed to a hight of ten feet. Asbury will graduate a class of thirty-two gentlemen and four ladies this year, being the largest class that has ever graduated in the State.

The fire at Kentland on Tuesday destroyed property to the amount of \$100,000. It is supposed to have originated in a rag pile from spontaneous combustion.

Mr. J. T. Vawter, of Franklin, found a stray baby on his porch the other day with a request to make a good man of him. The waif

was given over to the Trustees. The Rochester City Times, has been purchased by Platt McDonald & Co., who will continue the publication of the paper under

the name of the Rochester Sentinel. Graves, of Ladoga, Indiana, who was robbed of a large sum of money in a house of prostitution in Cincinnati, has recently had five hundred dollars returned in addition to the

mount recovered at the time. A thlef entered the house of Horrison Taylor, near Palmyra, Harrison county, and while the family were at supper stole three hundred dollars. Strong suspicion rests upon a certain party, but no arrest has yet been

made. A colored woman near Bartonia, Randolph county, fearing that coal oil might put the fire out, directed her son to try gunpowder. It put the fire out through one side of the building, and the boy out the other. A neighoor gave the use of his house for the funeral.

J. G. Bain and H. A. Smock have purchased

the Morgan County Republican of W. D' Eagle. They promise to conduct it "with an eye single to whatever is sound in morals, true in nature, and beautiful in art, and to promote the greatest good to the greatest number." The German Catholics of Evansville held a

arge meeting Sunday night, denounced Victor Emmanuel's occupation of Rome, pledged themselves to fidelity in support of the Pope's sovereignty, and took measures to form a Peter's Pence Society. Rev. Messrs. Kutassy and Viefhaus made eloquent speeches.

The auction room of Scheffer & Co., at Fort Wayne, was broken open on Tuesday night

on suspicion. Carl turned State's evidence but failed to implicate Hays, who was disharged, and the former committed.

and quite an amount of goods were stolen

Frank Carl and William Hays were arrested

Anecdote of Colonel Colt. The great pistol-maker was very anxious to secure possession of the Porter place, because it would give him an unbroken square of land, which he desired to improve. But Colonel Porter was obstinate; he would not sell. In vata Colonel Colt pleaded, made extravagant offers, and employed persuasive men to approach him; Porter was incorrigible. One proach him; Porter was incorrigible. One day, not long after, Colonel Colt's secretary appeared at the State bank, of which Porter was President, with \$50,000 in the bills of the bank, for which he demanded the specie. The officers of the bank were taken aback, but managed to raise the amount. On the following day, the secretary reappeared with \$50,000 more, and under the same demand, remarking. "Colonel Colt desires me to tell you that he shall want \$50,000 in specie every day so long as Solomon Porter remains President of this bank." That was enough; Porter resigned. But he held on to his property, and, to-day, it adjoins the Colt estate on the north.

New Goods!

J. H. COLCLAZER will be happy to see his friends and the public at his NEW and ELEGANT JEWELRY STORE, No. 14 E. Washington Street, where he can show an entire New Stock of

# American and Foreign Watches,

FINE JEWELRY and SILVERWARE, purchased direct from the Importers and Manufacturers, which he will SELL AT VERY LOW FIGURES. Come and see.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

MASONIC LODGES.

MYSTIC TIE NO. 208.—John Caven, W. M., W. S. Cone, Secretary. Vots in Grand Lodge Hall. A. AND A. S. C. SER ETT.—Mosts in Yohn's Block.

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THE war drifts slowly along. Not much doing that seems important to us. Paris has not been bombarded yet, and the Prussians don't tell when it will be, if ever. There are a thousand conflicting rumors, as usual,

We are glad to see that "testimonials" and "funds" are not restricted to Generals and Admirals. A fund has been raised in Pennsylvania to support and educate the children, of Commander E. P. Williams, who was lost on the Oneida, and now amounts to \$9,778.

THE Duke of Aosta, King elect of Spain, starts this week to take possession of his kingdom. The prospect is not a very fair one for him, and he may be leaving Madrid in great haste before many months. There was a good deal of opposition to his election, aside from which the priest-ridden Spanish will not care much to have for a King the son of the hated" and excommunicated Victor Emmanuel.

This is the way we die according to the statisticians: The yearly mortality of the globe is said to be 33,333,333 persons. This is at the rate of 91,554 per day, 373 per hour, and 42 per minute. One-fourth of the population die at or before the age of seven years; one-half at or before seventeen years. Among 10,000 persons one arrives at the age of one hundred years; one in 500 attains the age of ninety; and one in 100 lives to the age of sixty.

PRUSSIA will undoubtedly lay her hands on Luxembourg as soon as Bismarck thinks the proper moment has arrived. His recent expressions in regard to that territory, have been thrown out as feelers to discover what opposition might be expected. France is in no condition to object. Belgium and thirty-six dozen plated unfinished forks. Holland can do nothing alone, and ble annexation is attempted, allowing sustained on account of unjust criticism. Prussia to occupy the territory as soon A frac to very soon.

Postal Telegraph. THE proposal for the government to leave his room, and there is every reason to take charge of the telegraph system of believe that his health will soon be fully rethe country and consolidate it with the stored. postal service, is growing in public favor. When first broached it was deerged impracticable and full of evil, but the more thoroughly the idea is canvassed, the does it appear. The success of the English government in taking control of the lines there doubtless has much to Narragansett Steamship Company, laying the do with this altered feeling. When the damages at \$5,000, for being ejected from change was first made, the government attempted to do too much in the way of consolidating rival lines and reducing expenses made by the competition, and a great confusion and lack of capacity to do business resulted. For the first few weeks the entire system was in disorder, the facilities were not equal to forwarding half the business offered, and there was much delay and inconvenience in transmitting what was taken. But after a short time the various changes were completed, and things began to work othly. Prices were regulated and made uniform, and the telegraph service of England is better now than it ever was, and in efficiency and cheap-ness is probably the best in the world. for the The advocates of the postal telegraph shoes. system here think the same result can be achieved in this country, and that who had circulated slanders about respectable with proper care and attention taken in young ladies was brought to his knees by a with proper care and attention taken in the consolidation of competing lines, and the rearrangement of the entire business, there need be no temporary annoyance or failure, as was the case in England. The matter will probably be brought up in the House at an early date by General Washburne, who has paid a at deal of attention to the subject, having collected a vast quantity of information, which, with his ideas upon the subject, will be embodied in a bill, somewhat different from the one pre ented by him last winter, important changes having been made in the sec tions regulating the manner in which the property of the telegraph companies shall be appraised by the government. The efforts of the committee are likely to receive aid now from a quarter which hist winter offered the greatest opposition, viz., the Western Union Telegraph Company. A change in the management of the company has taken place during the last few months, a majority of the stock being held now by Commodore Vanderbilt and his friends, who have bought it, as is supposed, with the expectation of selling it to the government and making a "blg thing."

### Love's Philosophy.

With a sweet emotion;
Nothing in the world is single;
All things by a law divine
in one another's being mingle—
Why not I with thine?

See the mountains kiss high heaven, And the waves class one another; No sister flower would be forgiven If it disalaned its brother: And the sunlight clasps the earth, And the moonbeams kiss the sea;— What are all these kissings worth, If thou kiss not me?

The griefs that fall to every share,
The heavier sorrows that life brings,
The heart can nerve itself to bear—
Great sorrows are half holy things.

But for the ills each hour must make, The cares with every day renewed, It seemed scarce worth the while to take Such little things with fortitude.

And he before whose wakened might The strongest enemies must fall, Is overcome by foes so slight, He scorns to hold them foes at all. A Gem.

Better trust all, and be deceived, And weep that trust and that deceiving, Than doubt one heart, that, if believed, Had blest one's life with true believing.

Oh! in this mocking world, too fast:
The doubting fiend o'ertakes our youth:
B, ther be cheated to the last
Than lose the blessed hope of truth.
—[Frances Anne Kemble.

### The Best Prayer.

He prayeth best, who loveth best All things both great and small; For the dear God who loveth us, He made and loveth all.

"SCRAPS,"

"Still Life"-A mute's. The lecture field-Kate.

A female ring-A sewing circle. A hack system-A consumptive's.

"Swearing off time" is close at hand-January 1.

Louisana has a "grand trunk railroad" which is only eleven miles long. "So much for bucking 'em," as the young

nan said when he fought the tiger. In Detroit a rag picker drives a team to which a dog and a goat are harnessed.

Secretary Robeson is said to give the most elaborate dinner parties in Washington. Six persons, each one ninety years of age, have died in Providence within a month.

The British artillerists are said to prefer muzzle loading to breech-loading cannon. A Richmond custom-house officer has been removed for not voting at the late election.

In Kansas several vigilance committees are reported to be "doing a good and efficient work."

Snow drifts, three or four feet deep, may be seen on the Jefferson and Randolph roads, in New Hampshire. Wild geese are so plenty in California that

they give as much annoyance to railroad men as do the grasshoppers in summer. Connecticut State Prison. The booty was

Max Strackosh has sued the Rochester Union England has decided to wait until forci- for \$10,000 damages, which he claims to have

as she chooses to. And she will choose ed thirteen skunks in one week. As they don't encourage him in the parlor, he eats and

sleeps in the stable. Senator Morrill, of Maine, is now able to

Two "right" whales were discovered in Provincetown harbor on Sunday. Chase was mmediately given, but they made their escape before any boat could get near enough to strike them.

A colored man in Providence has sued the the table of one of their steamboats on which he was a passenger.

The Providence Journal says an individual soliciting charity on their streets, with a placard on his breast, "I want, I want, I want," wants to go to work pretty soon, if he don't want to go to the State Farm.

The Boston Transcript records the fact that the gardener from the City Hospital cut from the open grounds of that institution, on the 8th of December, a mass of flowers in full bloom-verbenas, mignonette, sweet alyssum

Mr. E. Mann, boot and shoe manufacturer, of Milford, Massachusetts, has recently sold to a French agent and sent to that government fourteen thousand knapsacks. They were purchased from our 'government by Mr. Mann or the purpose of making into beots and

A young man in Kennebunkport, Maine, etter from a lawyer. He hastened to sign a paper saying that he was a liar and slanderer, and by paying costs further proceedings were

Ellen Townsend has given to the city of Newport, Rhode Island, a valuable farm upon which neglected poor boys may be placed to be clothed and taught how to work and care for themselves. It is to be a school where meh boys may lay the foundation for an eduation, as well as work for their support.

## 'Words and Their Uses."

"Words and Their Uses."
From Richard Grant White's new volume cearing the above title, we quote a few paragraphs, showing a nice sense of discrimination ounded on practical views on the subject:
AGBRAYATS—This word should never be employed in reference to persons, as it means usrely to add weight to—to make an evil more oppressive; injury is aggravated by insult. It is sometimes improperly used in the sense of irritate, as "I was much aggravated by his worder."

Whatever may be done, there is every leation that the whole subject will lerge a thorough discussion this winr, both in Congress and through the

love your wife, or ought to; but favorite articles of food you like.

OBSERVE should not be used for say, as in the oft heard sentence, "What did you ob-

Sir, often mispronounced set, is occasionally written so, but, it is to be hoped, rarely.

Women and Wine.

Woman has never been associated with wine without disgrace and disaster. The toast and the bacchanal that, with musical alliteration, couple these two words, spring from the hot lips of sensuality, and are burdened with shame. A man who can sing of wine and women in the same breath, is one whose presence is disgrace, and whose touch is pollution. A man who can forget mother and sister, or wife and daughter, and wantonly engage in a revel in which the name of woman is invoked to highten the pleasures of the intoxicating seup, is, beyond controversy and without mitigation, a beast. "Dost thou think, because thou art virtuous, there shall be no more cakes and ale?" Aye, cakes and ale, if you will, but let it be cakes and ale. Let not the name by which we call the pure and precious ones at home be brought in to illuminate a degrading feast.

Of the worst foes that woman has ever had to encounter, wine stands at the head. The appetite for strong drink in man has spoiled the lives of more women—ruined more hopes for them, brought to them more shame, sorrow and hardship—than any other evil that lives. The country numbers tens of thousands—nay, hundreds of thousands—of women who are widows to-day, and sit in hopeless weeds because their husbands have been slain by strong drink. There are hundreds of thousands of homes, scattered all over the land, in which women live lives of torture, going through all the changes of suffering that lie between the extremes of fear and despair, because those whom they love, love wine better than they do the women they have sworn to love.

There are women by thousands who dread to hear at the door the step that once thrilled them with pleasure, because that step has learned to reel under the influence of the seductive poison. There are women groaning with pain, while we write these words from bruises and brutalities inflicted by husbands made mad by drink. There can be no exaggeration in any statement made in regard to this matter, because no human imagination can create anything worse than the truth, and no pen is capable of portraying the truth.

The sorrows and the horrors of a wife with a drunken husband, or a mother with a drunken son, are as near the realization of hell as can be reached in this world at least. The shame, the indignation, the sorrow the sense of disgrace for herself and her children, the poverty—and not unfrequently the begary—the fear and the fact of violence, the lingering, life-long struggle and despair of countless women with drunken husbands, are enough to make all women curse wine, and engage unitedly to oppose it every where as the worst enemy of their sex.—[Dr. Holland in Scribner's for January.

Career of Mrs. Laura Fair. Mrs. Laura Fair, the murderer of A. C. Critnden, in San Francisco, has been remarkbly ready in the use of the pistol throughout
er diversified career. Her husband commitd suicide, and her next "protector" in Mexo, a petty chief in Chihuahua, was killed by
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the natives because they hated his mistress. A Southern correspondent continues her history as follows:

"In 1861 she prompted her nephew to rob the treasury box of the Panama steamer, but he was detected and punished, though afterward released on turning State's evidence against his confederates.

In 1862 the silver discoveries in the State of Nevada caused a rush of population to that territory. She took up her residence in Virginia City, and soon afterward, in conjunction with a male partner, opened the Tahoe House. The sympathies of Mrs. Fair were intensely Southern, while those of her partner were equally strong in favor of the North. On the Fourth of July he determined to hoist the national banner over the hotel, and she threatened to shoot him if he did. He made the attempt, and she fulfilled her threat, inflicting a severe, but not mortal wound. She then raised the "bonny blue flag," and stood by it for twelve hours, pistol in hand, defying the whole city to pull it down.

"She was tried for the attempted murder, and Mr. Crittenden, whose political sympathies were in full accord with her own, volunteered to undertake her defense, and was so successful that the jury acquitted her without leaving the box. From that time an immoral intimacy existed between the two, which lasted until a year ago, when, after a quarrel, she laid in wait for him on the steps of his office and flashed a pistol in his face as he came out. The cap mapped, and he was thus saved from her attempted crime. Last July she again married, the victim being a Chicago man. He was worth seventy-five thousand dollars, but kept such a tight hold of the purse strings that she procured a divorce in less than six weeks. She then tried to renew her connection with Mr. Crittenden, though only with partial success. That gentleman offered her an annuity of five thousand dollars for the rest of her life if she would leave the State and annoy him

I Celebrate the Guion

"That nomination is calculated to injure the party." It is calculated (designed) to do no such thing, though it may be likely to.

Ctrizes should not be used except when the possession of political rights is meant to be implied. Newspaper reporters have a bad habit of bringing it out on all occasions, when "person" "man" or "bystander" would express their meaning much better.

Courtz applies to two things which are bound together or united in some way. "A couple of apples" is incorrect—two apples is what is meant.

Diar means fifth, and is not synonymous with earth or soil. Yet people sometimes speak of a dirt road or of packing dirt around the roots of trees they are setting. They mean earth.

Execute—When a murderer is hanged his sentence is executed, the man is not. A man can not be executed—that is, followed out or performed.

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Execute—They are self-ing to the dearest friend; they retire within themselves, and hold communion with one of the moral vegetable world. Happy is said to be the family which can eat onions together. They are not time within themselves, and hold communion with one of the moral vegetable world. Happy is said to be the family which can eat onions together. They are not time within themselves, and hold communion to the moral vegetable world. Happy is said to be the family which can eat onions together. They are not time being from the world, and have a harmony of aspiration. There is a hint here for the reformers. Let them become apostles of the onion; let them eat, and preach it to their fellows, and circulate tracts of it in the formers. Let them become anoin it is the preach it to their fellows, and circulate tracts of it in the formers. Let them become anoin it is the preach it to see the noin it is an original

Help Mest.—An absurd use of these two words, as if they together were the name of one thing—a wife—is too common. The sentence in Genesis is: "I will make him an help meet for him"—i. e. a help fit for him. There is no such word as helpmeet.

Lie—Lay—Persons not grossly ignorant sometimes say they will lay [meaning lie] down, that they have laid [lain] an hour, or that the hammer is laying [lying] by the tacks. Lie means to recline; its past tense is lay—"I lay there all that night;" its participles lying and lain. Lay (used of present time) means to put something down—one lays a carpet; its past is laid—"I laid myself;" its participles, laying and laid—"I laid myself;" its participles, laying and laid—"I was interrupted while laying, it, and it was not all laid till night."

Love rules the heart, not the stomach. You love your wife, or ought to; but favorite articles of food you like.

Observe should not be used for say, as in the oft heard sentence. "What did you ob-

noiselessly into a small antercom leading into a larger room, and in which no one was sit-ting. The small spartment was dimly lighted, but he knew that I knew he was there. Then

ting. The small spartment was dimly lighted, but he knew that I knew he was there. Then commenced a series of pantomimic feats impossible to describe adequately. He threw an imaginary person (myself, of course) upon the floor, and proceeded to stab him several times with a paper-folded, which he caught up for the purpose.

After disposing of his victim in this way, he was not satisfied, for the dull lecture still went on in the other room, and he fired an imaginary revolver several times at an imaginary head. Still the droning speaker proceeded with his frozen subject (it was something about the Arctic regions, if I remember rightly,) and now began the greatest pantomimic scene of all, namely, murder by poison, after the manner in which the player king is disposed of in "Hamlet."

Thackersy had found a small vial on the mantleshelf, and out of that he proceeded to pour the imaginary "juice of cursed hebenon" into the imaginary rerches of somebody sears. The whole thing was inimitably done, and I hoped nobody saw it but myself; but, years afterwards, a pondrous, fat-witted young man put the question squarely to me: "What was the matter with Mr. Thackeray that night the club met at Mr. ——'s house?"—[Atlantic for January.

—nay, hundreds of thousands—of women who are widows to-day, and sit in hopeless weeds because their husbands have been slain by strong drink. There are hundreds of thousands of homes, scattered all over the land, in which women live lives of torture, going through all the changes of suffering that lie between the extremes of fear and despair, because those whom they love, love wine better than they do the women they have sworn to love.

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gular sail, which can be set with ropes, acts as a rudden. The moving power is the screw, set in motion by men. About four men will be required for this work. The screw, instead of turning with the axis, turns freely upon a fixed horizontal axis. The wings consist of a framework of wood, covered with silk.

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THE CITY. MINOR MENTION.

Council meeting to-night.

The Sunday night train on the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railroad has been discontinued. Grace M. E. Church hold a holiday festival n Thorpe's Block, commencing to-morrow

On Saturday the Woodburn Sarven Wheel Company filled orders from Texas, Delaware

A runaway yesterday morning completely disorganized a city lamp post at the corner of South and Illinois streets.

A citizen of Anderson was confidenced out of \$180 in this city on Friday evening, in the ble for presents to please the most fastidious, sual way-a bogus check.

The decision in the wooden block pavement ase will be rendered to-morrow morning, in | in and select your gifts, and request Mr. Ripthe Civil Circuit Court room. Meridian Street Methodist Church will give

Christmas social to the children of the Sunday School on Friday evening. Simon McCarty has bought the Crysta

Palace saloon and will close it for twenty days for refitting in resplendant style. Alfred Vickery, of Bartholomew county, was brought to the city Saturday and lodged

in fail on the charge of counterfeiting. The last full dress rehearsal of Mrs. Jarley's wax works will be at Mrs. Alvord's this evenng at seven o'clock. A full attendance re

Two prostitutes, one case for malicious trespass, one for associating with a prostutute, six prices. All work warranted to fit. drunks, and two paupers had lodgings in the ity prison last night.

Plymouth Church will celebrate the two ed and fiftieth anniversary of the Landng of the Pilgrims day after to-morrow, in he evening, in an exceedingly 'appropriate

At the meeting of the School Trustees or Saturday evening it was ordered that the holiday vacation begin on Saturday morning, De ember 24, and close on Monday evening, Jan-

On New Years day at 2 P. M., the Bethlehem Christian Chapel on Fayette street, between Walnut and North, will be dedicated. The address will be delivered by Elder Thomas Munnell, of Cincinnati,

The Christmas tree and dinner given to the ittle girls of the Sewing School and the newsovs and bootblacks of the city, at the Fourth resbyterian Church on Saturday afternoon vas an occasion long to be remembered by

Martin M. Ray and Major Gordon have sued William A. Bowles for ten thousand dollars attorney fees, for defending him on his trial or treason during the war. The case will be decided at the February term of the Orange County Civil Circuit Court.

The St. Louis, Vandalia and Terre Haute Railroad Company will in all probability buerged with the Terre Haute and Indianapoli Company early next year. Articles of consolidation are said to be in course of prepara tion for the action of the stockholders' meeting on the second Tuesday of next month, at Terre Haute. The name of the consolidated company is to be, as far as we can learn, "The in the soap line. St. Louis, Vandalia and Indianapolis Railway

James Flynn Dead. It will be remembered that this unfortunate man shot himself in the forehead last Wednes-day morning, on Washington's treet, and was fterward taken to the city hospital. On Satorday morning, after having carried a No. 1

artridge in his brain for seventy hours, he Call in at W. P. Bingham & Co.'s, and see ed. A post mortem examination revealed he fact that the ball entered near the center of the forehead, ranged upward and lodged within the substance, and near the upper sur Under the leadership of Otis & Fowler their photographic gallery has gained a reputation of which they may justly feel proud. Their facilities for taking the "Rembrandt" are unequaled, and it will please any of your friends to receive one of yourself taken at Nos. 24 and 26 East Washington street. ace of the brain. He was conscious unt Thursday evening, from which time until hi death, he was more or less delirious. He stub bornly refused to give his motive for the ac of self-destruction, or any information conrning his relations or friends.

Yesterday morning, the body was brought to Weaver & Hedges' undertaking establish-Deal with the manufacturers in furs. Our young friend Will Buehrig has pur-chased the Mozart Hall Billiard Room, where he hopes by close attention to business to ment, and last evening a Quroner's jury was impanneled. The testimony brought nothing new to light, and the jury brought in a vertical that the deceased came to his death by hooting himself through the head with a remerit a share of the public patronage. Give rolver, and that the act was a premeditated

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LOST IN THE FOG. By James De Mille. Illustrated. Boston: Lee & Shepard, publishers, 1871. Indianapolis: J. H. V. Smith, City Bookstore. Price \$1.50. For oils that are good and prices that are low, Frank Boyd is peculiar. Not in the same sense with the heathen Chinee. For This little work is the third of a series of six volumes, which are being published in a uniform, neat, and attractive binding. Lost in the Fog is a continuation of "The Boys of Grand Pa's School." This time their sprees very nearly have a fatal conclusion. A party of the B. A. W. C. embark on the schooner Antelope for a cruise, and a rousing good time. While out they are overtaken by one of the dense fogs so common on the Bay of Fundy, and were left entirely dependent upon the tide for locomotion. At last they are drifted into the town of Hillsborough. While there they go asnore, and upon their return find one of their party, who had remained in the yawl, has floated away with the tide, which carries him far down the river and at last into the Bay, in the dense fog and darkness, with nothing to guide him for arrest his course. After drifting about for This little work is the third of a series of six Frank prides himself on leading the market by selling honest goods at honest prices. Consequently for lubricating and burning oils. white lead, colored paints, varnish and axle grease remember that Frank A. Boyd, Esq., is your man, and that his sign hangs out at No. 22 South Meridian street.

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A few words to our readers. The ladies of the Christian Chapel design giving a river and at last into the Bay, in the dense fog and darkness, with nothing to guide him or arrest his course. After drifting about for several days, he is east ashere on the uninhabited "Isle Haute." Fortunately a bag of sea buiscuit happened to have been left in the boat, and with this and the lobsters, mussels and shrimps which the sea yielded, he found sufficient food. After passing sotae days in this manner he is found by his party, who had been searching unceasingly for him, and by whom he was supposed to be lost.

The book is intensely interesting, and the author has succeeded in presenting all its characters and incidents in the most life-like manner. be discoursed by Spades' Orchestra, and you can regale yourself at the same time with a de-THE FAIRY-FOLKS SERIES. Daffy Down Dilly and Her Friends; The History of A. B. C. and other Tales; The Wonderful Bay and What Was In it. By the author of "The Fairy Egg." Three Volumes, price 75 cents each. Boston: Lorenz, publisher. 1870. Indianapolis: Bowen, Stewart & Co. licious oyster stew or a good square meal of the best eatables in the market. Then purchase your toys, books and fancy articles, and when you go home that night, our word for it, you will feel happy, wise and comfortable.

These books are of the size and style of the famous "Dotty Dimple" series, and are intended for the same class of little people. They are simple, but exquisite renderings of fairy tales, always so interesting to little readers. It will be of much gratification to our 5 West Washington street has on hand a full ceries. Manufactured by P. F. Bryce, Nos. 14 supply of Christmas goods for the little one s. Surprise the darlings with a new pair of shoe 8 If you don't believe that Christmas is from this establishment on Christmas mornlose at hand, just take a look in at Colclazer's new jewelry store, and the many thou-

Lyons silk velvet cheapest, at the Paris

of black alpacea. For sale only by N. R. Smith & Co. A lady whose charity and benevolence my your paper collars at the Trade

are proverbial in her line, did donate a Christmas gifts of china, and she purchased it from the immense stock at the china, glass and queensware store of John A. Lehrritter, No. Plowers or Feathers, 174 East Washington street, opposite the City To visit N. R. Smith & Co.'s millinery depart- Clothing. We wish Hall. We invite our friends to call at the

Mile. Christina Nilsson will give her first and only concert in Indianapolis, Monday January 16, 1870. 19 eod td

We have received to-day a choice lot of Red and Black Centre Paisley Long Shawls,

which we offer for holiday presents at very N. R. SMITH & Co.

A few words in relation to the non-explosive kerosene lamps for sale by the Holliday Bros. This lamp is made of metal and is constructed upon such scientific principles that it can not be exploded by the use of the most inflammable oils, by anything short of nitro-glycerine or gun-powder. This lamp, as an illuminator, is as clearly superior to the lamps in common use as the latter are to tallow candles, and it is in every respect as safe as a candle. Call and examine it at 15 South Meridian street.

If you want a nice hat or

nade to order, go to Trade Palace. Our prices are low, and we do the best work in the city.

Delays are dangerous, For first come, first served. A. A. Scott, at his new produce house, No. 82 East Market street, has the finest dressed poultry in the market. A word to the wise is sufficient. A fine lot of green fruits for sale at low prices Remember the place and buy your entables for

Grace Methodist Episcopal Chu fair and festival, at Thorpe's Hall, Market street, east of the Post Office, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 20 and 21. Meals at all hours, day and evening. All are cordially invited.

laid in a new supply since the order of the Queen's was filled. Step in at the corner of We have opened to-day one case of Poplins at 18c, for the Holiday trade. They are remarkably cheap.

N. R. Smile & Co.

Charley Calvert offers three hundred dollars to the person drawing the restauran prize box containing the capital prize, for their

25 pieces black velveteens, best bargains is season, just opened by N. R. Smith & Co.

Grocers, attention. You can bry your ned goods cheap at Lunt & Porter's. They ave been damaged by the fire and water, and will be sold low. Call and see. New goods arriving daily. Call and see. No. 77 South Meridian street.

We are now offering the largest and heapest stock of made up lace goods ever hown in this city. Remember these goods then selecting Christmas gifts.

The new "Kellogg" Cheneille Bow ju pened by N. R. Smith & Co.

Real lace trimmed linen sets, just opened at

New lot of ladies' hemstitched and corded handkerchiefs, in beautiful French boxes just opened at N. R. Smith & Co.'s. 17 2

Ladies, do you desire to present your atlemen friends with a pair of slippers? Then step into J. W. Adams's store, sign of the Boot Up Side Down, and there you will find them with all the Masonic emblems, suitable for members of the different degrees, Undressed calf-skin slippers, most stylish. Gents, you can find the latest styles of fancy shoes for the fairer sex. Prices are such as will induce you to buy.

Holiday presents-French handkerchief boxes', each box containing a package of fine linen c, umbric handkerchiefs, just the thing for manice present. N. R. Smith & Co.

Real laces opened to-day at the Paris

Diaries, At the I'on Front Book Store, 16 and 18 West Washington street.

28 Go early in the week to Judkins's Photograph Gallery and have some beautiful life like Rembrandts taken to surprise your friends HANDKEROHIEFS IN FANOY BOXES. with Christmas morning. Nothing is more gratifying than to be surprised in this manner. and Judkins is just th'e man to take a picture that will be satisfact ory to all interested. 161/2 East Washington street is the entrance to his popular gallery, Again we say, go

All wool goods at the Wool Stere are the cheapest let others say what the, may. Go to 7.7 West Washington street and sec. German town worsted yarn, and Germantown worsted jackets can be found only at the Wool Store. Don't be afraid to see the goods and learn the prices, and our word for it you will buy. Working men will please take notice. Whiteley & Evans mean only what they say.

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and

Bread is the staff of life, therefore get the best. Chemistry, as well as the experience of thousands, has proven the "aerated" bread to be the surest staff to lean on. Ask eaders to know that the City Shoe Store, No. for it at your hotels, boarding houses and groand 16 East South street.

Black and fancy silks, cheap at the

Mr. Wilson, the celebrated engraver, will engrave all goo. Is purchased at Craft & Cutter's. His work to alls the best story. See The "Conqueror" is the popular brand it and then judge of h. s merits. Remember that Craft & Cutter have I in enormous stock of fine watches, jewelry, silve " and plated ware and will sell at rare low price's. Don't forget No. 24 East Washington street.

> We would advise all our lady friends in want of hats, bonnets, Flowers or Feathers.

ment at the Trade Palace.

Progress of the Double Baby.
[From the Mt. Gilead Register, December 9.4]
The double-headed, triple-limbed, quadruple-armed babe is prospering finely, notwith standing reports to the contrary. Learner physicians and surgeons, who have visited this "wonderful freak of nature," claim that is will eventually walk, and that its prospect for living are as favorable as those of any child of the same age. We had the pleasure of seeing this child (or these children) or Tuesday of last week. The features of on are more than ordinarily handsome, and the other ordinarily good looking, and both ar very intelligent. When we entered the hous one end of it (the child) was crying lustily while the other end was sleeping soundly. It a short time both ends were sleeping, and few moments later, both ends were awake. Progress of the Double Baby.

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## THE EVENING NEWS

MONDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1870.

### THE CHILY.

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Those of our subscribers who may miss getting their papers are requested always to notify us, as that is the only way by which we becan informed of the fact.

FIRST show storm of the season, to-day. Figst cutters of the season on the streets to-day.

THE trial of John Burns is set for to-morrow morning.

THE street railway plow was out this forenoon for the first time this winter.

NATIONAL Bee Keepers' Convention at the House of Representatives on Wednesday. OPENING of the Christmas-tide Bazaar tomorrow evening at the Academy of Music.

A MARRIAGE license was issued this forenoon to Felly George McDonald and Alice Trader. II. H. BASSETT, of Castleton, drew a fifty

dollar prize at Fairbank's Hoosier Bazaar on ROSCOR O. HAWKINS and Howard Cale were to-day admitted to practice in the Criminal

MANAGER HARRIS presents several new at. new stars appear.

A PAL of Allen Campbell, known as "greasy Andrew," alias Andrew Jackson, is being tried to-day for complicity in the Bucktown robbery of one Criffield.

THE cistern at the corner of McCarty and East streets is minus a lid, which makes it dangerous for vehicles. The Chief Fire Engineer should give it immediate attention.

Mr. James S. Allen, the pressman who has been sick for some time, died at the residence of his parents at noon- to-day. He was an industrious and temperate man and a member of the Second Presbyterian Church.

THE New York Candy Store, at No. 5 Martindale's block, has met with so much success that its enterprising proprietor, Mr. Hamilton, has started a branch establishment at La-

The merchants are ready to offer any ac-commodation to the purchasers of holiday goods this week. The New York Store announces that it will keep open until nine o'clock every evening, commencing to-mor-

THERE will be no meeting of the Academy of Sciences on Wednesday evening of this week, as announced this morning in the Sentinel

Much confusion arises among the dwellers upon North Illinois street who happen to be out evenings, because they can not distinguish between the cars that go through to the limits and those that stop at St. Joseph street. The company should adopt some signal to designate the through cars from the others.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at their rooms in Vinton's Block, opposite the Post Office, to-morrow evening at seven o'clock. The discussion of the subject, "Our duty as associate Christians to the young men and women of our city," will be continued,

Tue Congregationalists have most com pletely eclipsed their cotemporaries, in the publication of advertising sheets this time. The Plymouth Rock is the best gotten up, typographically and editorially, of any of the church periodicals that have appeared this season. The arrangement of the matter is adairable, and the paper as a whole, a credit to

Real Estate Transactions.
The following real estate transfers have been filed for record in the Recorder's office since noon Saturday:

Stone, Witt, Hort and Taylor to Charles W. irket, sub-lot 422 of sub. of out lots 94, 98 at the s bf of 91 of the donation lands,

John M. Kilby to Mary Long, part of the w qr of sec 16, t.15, r.5, \$200.

Isaac W. Tont to Albert A. Johnson, lots 5 and 6 in Sorm's redivision of lots 5 and 6 in atlot 40, \$1,200.

Charles T. Reasner to Louisa Carr, part of ot 6 in Sharpe's redivision of bolck A, B and lof Blake's add., \$1,200.

Total consideration, \$2,910.

### THE COURTS.

Chiminal Circuit.-The case of John Burns vas postponed until to-morrow morning. State vs John Henshaw. Petit larceny. Arraigned and pleaded not guilty.

State vs Andrew Jackson, a partner of Alen Campbell in carrying on a general robbery business, was on trial for complicity in the robbery of John A. Criffield. He and Campbell were indicted jointly by the Grand Jury. Civil Cincuit-No. 4,350. John Kirkpatric vs. Cornelius Miners. Judgment for plaintiff by agreement for \$175.

4,348. T. A. Goodwin vs. Jerry McLene. sion on sale of real estate. On trial by

COMMON PLEAS-Mo. 5,863. Mary Osburn vs. Bishop Osbur n. Divorce. Decree granted on ground of abuse and drunkness and custody of children given to plaintiff.

5,874, Lawson Abbett, et al. vs. Edith

Ciry-Christopher Sloniger plead guilty to a charge of associating with prostitutes, and was fined \$9 65.

Nicholas Weaver paid \$6 65 for maliciously oreaking a window belonging to John Groesch. Edward Sullivan was charged with grand larceny, in that he had taken a chair away from the disreputable house of Maria Mabb. The evidence showing that he was on a drunken spree and had no intention of stealing the fined for being drunk and disorderly.

d, and so was Elizabeth Bodman, another. The following D. D.'s, paid their assessments Edward Sullivan, James Hanlin, Thomas Hicks, John Cox and Joseph Coland. Charles

Fisher and Alfred Murphy were jailed. The Hellogg Concert. The Academy of Music was filled to over flowing on Saturday evening, on the occasion of the first appearance of Miss Clara Louise Kellogg and her troupe. It was one of the most brilliant audiences that ever assembled in the Academy, and as enthusiastic as brilliant. From the first appearance of Miss Kellogg to her last, she had complete [control of her listeners; at times moving them almost to tears, and then convulsing them with laughter. She fairly bewitched both old and young, especially in the rendering of a little Italian

kissing song, in which she played her own accompaniment. The selections were admirable, giving the fair young prima donna an opportunity of displaying the power and compass of voice to the best advantage. She octaves in tones as soft and bell-like as a bird's. Her singing of Benedict's melancholy Page after page has been already written. which might be condensed into this single sentence-Clara Louise Kellogg is emphatically the queen of American songstresses, and no

other, can so enrapture and bewitch an Amercan audience Mr. William McDonald has one of the finest tenor voices we ever heard, which he used to

other, either on this side of the Atlantic or the

good advantage, especially in a Scotch duet with Miss Kellogg. Signor Randolfi has a magnificent baritone as at the Metropolitan to-night. Four voice, as good as any singer now on the American stage, if not the best. His bearing while in front of the audience was splendid

and added much to the effect of his singing. Mr. James M. Webli is the great pianist whom we saw four years ago, improved. It seemed then that his playing could not be excelled but the Wehli of last Saturday evening was far superior to the Wehli of four years ago. Artists of his stamp are extremely rare. He is the peer of Gottschalk at the

Mr. Wehli is distinguished from most pian-sts, in that he has an individuality, originality and soul of his own. He plays for music's sake, not to display his ability, as most of our great players do-Mehlig, for instance. The air "Sweet Spirit Hear My Prayer" was literally sung by the Weber grand piano upon which he produced it, while his variations of 'Home, Sweet Home," with his left hand only, was the finest production of the kind we ever istened to. In skill it was wonderful and almost incomprehensible. His hand moved like the spokes of a swiftly revolving wheel, motion osing itself in motion. Mr. Colby played the accompaniments in a perfect and approprite manner. In this role he is unexpelled by

Clearing House Association—Meeting of Bankers. The bankers of this city had a meeting on

Saturday evening at the First National Bank Wednesday evening, when Professor Cox will read a paper upon some scientific subject to be hereafter announced.

The next meeting will occur one week from to consider the propriety of establishing a clearing house association in this city. Hon. W. H. English was chosen chairman, and W. W. Woollen, secretary. All the banks and banking companies in the city were represen-

> After a full discussion of the subject and the different plans presented, it was ordered that a clearing house association be established by the banks and bankers of this city, for the purpose of securing a more prompt and effi-cient system of making exchanges between

Messrs, English, Churchman and Pettibone, were appointed a committee ou rules and regalations for the government of the association. On motion the following orders were agreed

1st. That no check be received in payment and we trust there will be a full attendance of the membership and others.

of collections or notes, after the hour of clearbank on which the same is drawn.

2d. That whenever any check is refused by any one bank, that the check of the party signing the same be afterward refused by all the associated banks until the credit of the party in default be restored by said Clearing

3d. That the Manager of the Association be required to give a bond to the Association in the penal sum of one hundred thousand dol-

4th. That Monday, the 26th of December and Monday, January 2d, be observed as holi-On motion the meeting adjourned to meet at the same place on next Friday evening, the

33d instant, at seven o'clock.

Plymouth Church Festival.

The Ladies of Plymouth Church announce an entertainment commemorative of the landing of the Pilgrims, on the evening of Wednes-day, December 21st, 1870. The new edifice will be so far completed that the main audi-ence room can be used on this occasion, in

nnection with the elegant social rooms The entertainment will consist in part of jubilee addresses, music of the olden time, tabeaux, Yankee kitchen, continental costume

What could be more sensible, and what ould be more pleasing on a Christmas mornng than a gentleman's drawer well stocked with perfect fitting shirts from Parker's? They will make him cheerful and happy every morning till Christmas rolls round again, when he will be sure to make a substantial return. Wives and daughters, think of this, and not waste your money on trifles as light as air, when an elegant scarf of Parker's superior make, put up in an ornamental box, or some of purchased at such a small cost. Ladies, will you think of this when selecting something Francis. Account, Appeal from Curtis. On for the purpose of giving father, husband brother or friend an agreeable Christmas surprise? Parker's dressings for the neck are this season finished in designs of unusual beauty, and many novelties of exquisite pattern are displayed at his popular establishment, affording, while purchasing the useful, a rare opportunity for gratifying a cultivated taste for the beautiful and ornamental. Among the leading merits of Parker's specialties is the superiority of the materials used and the completeness of their make. There is a thoroughchair, he was dismissed as to this charge and ness of finish in every particular that is exceedingly pleasing to the purchaser and draws Kate Tolin a wandering prostitute was jail-

Both sexes are getting ready with their Christmas gifts. Ike Davis & Co. have sold some very handsome, warm and comfortable gifts and still have a full assortment of furs

Parties purchasing furs this week will find the largest stock, the finest goods and the lowest prices at Seaton's hat and fur store. four doors south of the Post Office, Don't buy until you see what Seaton has got.

Don't forget to look into Cobb's Corner Drug Store, and see the beautiful toilet sets and fine array of fancy articles suitable for

Now, ladies, one word. You will spend a heap of money this week, and of course you want to get full returns. Before you spend a cent step into Conaty's, No. 31 South Illinois street, and see the new bonnets and hats, the beautiful flowers and ribbons, the quantities sings distinctly and easily, two and a half of ladies and gents hosier, and the great multiplication of notions, trimmings, and fancy articles. It is just the place for Christmas little song, "I'm Alone," was almost divine, presents that will please and to get all your But why should we attempt to particularize? money calls for. Now don't forget Conaty's on any account.

> Arcade, No. 6, for new arrivals. Arcade for blue melton overcoats, Arcade reductions exceed all others. Arcade closing out men and boys suits, tf

> > BUSINESS NOTICES

Large Christmas trees and evergreen clippings for sale by George Stilz, 78 East Washington street, Indianapolis.

Hats, Hats.

Charley Hiff's, No. 12 North Pennsylvania street

Go there and buy your hats and caps for the holidays. His stock is complete and prices low. For Presents.

Go to Spades' Indiana Store where fine dress goods,

kid gleves, handkerchiefs, laces, trimmings, fash ionable hair goods, jet jewelry and a host of fancy articles can be bought very low, No. 20 East Washington street. 19 2 Neckwear, underwear, small jewelry, walking

canes, fine shirts, and many other articles in the line of gents' furnishing goods are complete in stock at Smith & Foster's, No. 22 East Washington street. Look in there for Christmas presents.

Dress Goods at greatly reduced prices at The New York Store.

The Nicest Buffalo
Robe in the city is for sale. Aug F. Coors, 151 West
Washington street, hrs just received it direct from
the plains. Call and see it. 192

Furs at Auction. Ladies' and childrens' furs, Thursday December 22, 2 o'clock, at W. M. Davis's, 88 East Washington

street, we will offer fine mink sets worth \$70 to \$120, Astrackhan cloaks, fur gloves and musiers, now men for inspection; are splendid Christmas gifts. Call and examine them.

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Orany other time, fat and jolly good fellows to eat.
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Toys in great variety at the New

## MONEY AND TRADE.

The following is the condition of the New York Staw York, December 19, 12:25 P. M.
Governments—Active and steady.
Starling Exchange—Active at 109 for \$60 day

Gold-Carrying at 4 per cent. Money-Markot easier at 7 per cent. Gold closed at 110%.

TRADE

[By Telegraph to The News.]

New York—Whisky, 943/205c. Flour dull. Wheat dull; choice, \$1 38. Corn, 75@76c. Oats steady at 60@61c. Pork, \$19@19 50. Lard, 123/c. Sugars dull; A's, white, 135/c; hards, 143/c. Coffee, 163/2017%c. Linseed oil quiet. Petroleum, 23c.

Cincinnati—The markets are very active, and prices are lower. Provisions—Pork; no transactions; dull at \$18 50. Lard—11½c for kettle rendered. Green meats 6@8½c, and 10%1c; no transactions; bulk meats 7@9¾c, and 10%1c; packed. Bacon, 10@12 and 12½c for packed hams; sugar-cured 16½c. Steam rendered lard, inture delivery, 10½c; head and gut 10c. Hogs dull, in consequence of a decline in Chicago; the receipts were 9,181. Sales were made, gross, mostly at \$6 30@6 35; range \$6 25@6 40 net; sales at \$7 60@7 65; total 1,100, including 500 head averaging 311 bs, at \$6 42½; 140 ditto, 309 bs, at \$6 40, and 310 ditto, 280 bs, at \$6 33. Flour active; sales of 500 barrels extra at \$5 25; family, \$5 35@5 43; low grades dull. Grain lower but active. Wheat, sales of 2,800 bushels at \$1 15@1 17 for red, and \$1 19 for hill. Corn, sales of 7,200 bushels at \$0@52c. Oats, 37@45c. Bye dull. Barley, 95c@\$1 02. Whisky steady at 86@87c.

The Danger of Picking up Parcels.

Our village is considerably excited over the poisoning of the family of Mr. Aaron B. Pratt, on the 25th ult. The facts, as far as can be ascertained in the case, are that several days before the family were poisoned one of the children picked up a paper of tea on the road, and carried it home. Having occasion to use the tea, it was steeped and drank, when Mr. Pratt, his wife and three children were immediately seized with cramps, convulsions and vomiting. Physicians were called in, bu were unable to ascertain what kind of poison had been administered to the family. Warm drink was prescribed for them. As soon as it was carried to them they went into convulsions again, followed by severe vomiting, which probably saved their lives.

It was at once supposed that the tea was poisoned. Two of the children were away for monome at the time, and escaped. The children are recovering slowly. They probably did not drink as much of the tea as Mr. Pratt and wife, who are in a very dangerous condition, with hopes of recovery. The tea has been taken to Grand Rapids to be analyzed to ascertain what kind of poison it contained. It seems that the tea was picked up near the residence of Thomas H. Rolton, and the prevailing opinion is that the poison was intended for him and others of his family, as he has had a good deal of trouble 'in his matrimonial affairs lately. As the case will undoubtedly be legally investigated, the facts may be brought to light.—[Saranac Correspondence of Detroit Post.] The Danger of Picking up Parcels

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